

authorizing Prince Regent Ludwig of Bavaria to bring his regency to an end and proclaim himself king of Bavaria in place of the insane king, Otto.

M. E. Newlin, District Agent.

RETIRING OF BONDS TO BE DECIDED TODAY

Directors of Fresno-Hanford
Line Must Give Somers

Definite Answer

Matter of Preferred Stock
Will Be Taken Up At
Adjourned Meeting

An important meeting of the directors of the Fresno, Hanford and Summit Lake Railway Company was held yesterday afternoon at which John Somers, the director who succeeded F. S. Granger and who is the financial representative of the new backers of the road, demanded that a definite statement be made regarding the parties who are holding their bonds and so far have refused to accept preferred stock. The meeting adjourned yesterday afternoon after a short session and another meeting will be held this afternoon at which Somers will be given a definite statement. It is the wish of the directors that they may report to Somers that all of the bonds are in position to be retired with preferred stock. Somers intended leaving for San Francisco last night, but decided to stay over to be present at the meeting this afternoon. Those present at the meeting yesterday were Directors Clark, Somers, Mitchell, Griffin, Beck, Hober, and Taylor. Attorney H. P. Brown was also present. Many minor business matters pertaining to the railroad and the cancelling of the bonds with preferred stock were taken up and were closed yesterday.

The railroad commission has granted the interim permit to issue \$225,000 of preferred stock, but this cannot be done until the old bond issue of \$25,000 has been retired.

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GHOSTLY TIME AT Y. M. C. A. SOCIAL

Several Hundred Enjoy
Evening of Fun; Decorations Are Unique

Several hundred Fresnoans, young and old, mingled in the hilarity of the Y. M. C. A. Halloween social last evening, which, beginning at an early hour, progressed from one round of fun to another until 11 o'clock. As is usual when the association gives an entertainment out of the ordinary, only two or three guests came as could well be anticipated, for the Y. M. C. A. has outgrown its 1st street building. Though delighted at the success of the social, General Secretary Herman requested the large crowd whose very number restricted the pleasure of the evening.

Huge cornstalks were stuck in the corners and about the walls of the association building, with here and there grinning pumpkin shells leaning at the visitor, while every light was subdued and softened into a yellow glow by bandages of tissue paper. Jack-o'-lanterns, perched in every available nook while a gypsy, a dwarf and a few stray goblins and goblins roamed the more secluded regions. Apple-bobbers splashed in the lower halls, and the Jack-o'-lantern cafe dispensed pumpkin pie and apple cider.

The program of the evening was given in the social hall in which guests were squeezed in the available seats and ranged themselves about the walls and on the pool tables. The opening number was given by the "punkinhead quartet," composed of Fred Budge, Bryant Ashton, Jean Vincent and Kenneth Wakefield. Very ghost tales followed with N. R. Messing as story-teller. Lights were extinguished, except for the solemn glow from three melancholy Jack-o'-lanterns, when the first creepy tale began. The narratives were thrilling and hair-raising, and many foolish cries because of some scarcely stifled screams were disclosed when the lights went on.

Raymond Beutell and Timothee Dion next contributed a violin duet. As an encore, Dion played the stirring "I Love You, California." The visitors, led by H. Bryant Ashton, joined in a rousing chorus to the song so dearly loved since the Sherters swept through the state with it as their refrain.

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AUTO DRIVER DIES OVER WHEEL OF HIS MACHINE

Dwight Olin, aged 70, Stops
Car Before Suffering

Heart Failure

Wife Sick In Bed Hears of
Sad News; Will Hold
Inquest Today

Realizing that he was going to suffer an attack of the heart, Dwight B. Olin, aged 70 years and driver of a rent car, yesterday morning steered his machine to the curb on K street, put on the brake and fell prostrated over the steering wheel before he could turn off the engine. Olin was dead when witnesses to the affair reached his side. The body was taken in charge by Patrolman Greening and turned over to the coroner's deputy. The inquest will likely be held today. Dr. W. T. Burke performed an autopsy on the morose yesterday afternoon, and it was found that death was due to a rupture of the right ventricle of the heart. Olin lived at 1445 K street.

When Deputy Coroner L. O. Stephens approached the little home to inform the family of the sad news, he was met in the yard by the daughter of the deceased, who was just leaving for school. The girl informed the deputy coroner that her mother was sick in bed. The sad news was broken so gently, as possible to the mother and her daughter, who both bore up remarkably under the ordeal.

Olin had not been in the best of health for the last few weeks and his wife and sons suggested that he consult a physician, but Olin said that he would be all right in a few days. Yesterday morning he looked his machine and left his home at the usual hour for his stand on K street near Fresno street. It is presumed that Olin realized that he was going to suffer an attack of the heart as he steered his car to the curb and attempted to shut off the engine before he collapsed. Then walking down the street, noticed Olin gasp as if for breath and rushed to his side but the aged autoist was dead when they arrived.

Olin had been in California for about 15 years and had made his home in Fresno for the last five years. He was formerly in the real estate business.

Olin is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter. The children are: Albert, Frederick, Demmon, Samuel and Maude Olin. Olin was a member of the Masonic lodge in the East but had never been transferred here. He was born in Connecticut. No arrangements have been made for the funeral.

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EVERYBODY COMING IN

The question of participation in the Exposition at San Francisco in 1915 has now reached the third and most favorable stage. The first stage was one of unprecedentedly unanimous support of the Exposition. No other exposition in history had received so early so large a number of favorable responses to the invitations of the government. The second stage was the one of checking, by the apparent refusal of two of the principal European nations to exhibit, and by the doubt whether California itself would be united in its own support. The third stage, which begins with the news this morning indicates that the participation of the world will be unanimous.

The best news this morning is from Southern California. It is now definitely certain that the California Counties' Building will include the representation of the whole state of California. All of the Northern California counties, with the possible exception of two or three small mountain counties which will have to be taken care of by their neighbors, had already signified their acceptance. But Southern California had adopted the policy of refusing to participate except upon conditions which it would have been physically and financially impossible for the Exposition to grant, and which it could not have granted, anyway, to Southern California without injustice to all the rest of the state. The news comes this morning that the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles and the County Board have unanimously adopted resolutions urging the Los Angeles Board of Supervisors to rescind its former action and that representatives of the supervisors present at these meetings indicated that this would be done. The action of Los Angeles, which pays 75 per cent of the entire expense, will, of course, be followed by all the other Southern California counties, and California will show a united face to the world, in 1915.

The other news is that the movement in England to secure a reconsideration of the former official action has taken such form that it will almost certainly be decisive. A very influential committee has been appointed to take up the matter both with exhibitors and with the government, and the London papers this morning, including the Times, are very favorable to the government. It is thus already absolutely certain that British industry will be adequately represented, and it is practically certain that the representation will be official and governmental. A similar committee is at work in Germany, and it may be taken as certain that England rescinds its official action, Germany will do so also. The representation of German industries is now already guaranteed, and the situation makes practically certain the representation of the German government. This leaves out of consideration no important nation except Russia. It is scarcely likely that in the present state of international affairs Russia will participate, but it is perhaps not important either way.

With Germany, France, England and all the Western European countries participating and all the Central and South American countries, the only possible question of doubt would be the Orient. Australia will be adequately represented, China and Japan have both officially accepted the invitation of the United States government. China will, of course, carry out this undertaking, unless some revolution should intervene to make it impossible. The Japanese government desires to carry out its undertaking and will, of course, do so unless political conditions in Japan should prevent. The difficulties at home and in Europe being now surmounted, even where governmental action is hostile, it is scarcely conceivable that they will not also be surmounted in the Orient, where the governmental position is favorable.

JUST BUGABOO

There is a curious inconsistency in the shriek against Governor Johnson for his alleged neglect of the state's business in being absent for three weeks. Those who make this shriek are the very ones who complain most of the fact that Governor Johnson does attend to his business when he is here. They pretend that his attending to business is a calamity and that the less he does the better. But when for three weeks he reduces the government of the state to those routine matters which can well be attended to in his absence, then they pretend to regard it as a calamity.

These very organs are also the defenders of other administrations which have committed the same offense, if offense it is, in even greater degree. Some of these newspapers are Democratic newspapers and supporters of President Wilson. When President Wilson was governor of New Jersey he traveled all over the United States and spent much time campaigning for himself for the presidency. Others of these newspapers are standard Republicans. They do not mention that President Taft, their candidate for the presidency, was away from Washington on travels more extensive than any other President of the United States, and that Governor Gillett, the last standard Republican governor of California, made several trips East

during his term, leaving the lieutenant-governor in charge. Last year when Governor Johnson was absent in the East for a time on the presidential campaign, the very newspapers which criticized him for it were at that moment supporting Governor Wilson of New Jersey and Governor Marshall of Indiana, who were also absent from their posts engaged in the same campaign. Congressman Kahn of San Francisco, standard Republican, is now absent from his post in Washington, campaigning in Massachusetts, and Secretary Bryan is also absent from his post in Washington campaigning in New Jersey. Those who pretend to make a bugaboo out of the mere three weeks' absence of Governor Johnson should make a similar bugaboo about the similar absence of their own political associates.

Of course the truth is that all these absences are proper, necessary, and useful. They are merely used as a device for making political capital when the official in question happens to be a political opponent.

CALHOUN'S

The San Francisco Bulletin repeats with great glee a denial made in the Fourth Estate of New York of the reported sale of the San Francisco Post to the San Francisco Call. The reason why the Bulletin is thus cheerful in contributing free advertising to its competitor becomes evident from the language of the Fourth Estate, which is that the denial "is the authorized statement of a representative of Patrick Calhoun, proprietor of the Post, to the Fourth Estate." That Patrick Calhoun has owned the Post's soul both during its former Calhoun sponsorship and under its present alleged ownership was, of course, familiar to everybody. This official and first-hand proclamation that he owns its body also is probably not surprising, but it is at least interesting.

WOMEN AFTER BALLOT TO KILL LIQUOR TRAFFIC

ASHLEY PARK, N. Y., Oct. 30.—The department school of methods of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union met today preliminary to the formal opening of the fourth annual convention of the union here today. Mrs. Deborah K. Livingston of Maine, national superintendent of franchise and prohibition, said the W. C. T. U. should not find fault with the best methods of suffragists in England. "We are not here to condemn or condemn," she said. "First and foremost we want the ballot as a weapon against the liquor traffic and we do not hesitate to say so."

PURGED OF CONTEMPT

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—James G. Garfield, campaign press agent for former Governor Sulzer, received word today that Supreme Court Justice Cushman at Hudson, N. Y., had discharged him under the sentence for contempt imposed by the assembly for Garfield's refusal to testify in the recent impeachment controversy. Garfield was ordered to imprisonment until the adjournment of the legislature, but paroled in the custody of his counsel.

COLLISION OFF FORT BRAGG

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The passenger steamship Beaver of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship company from Portland and Astoria for San Francisco was in collision with the lumber steamer Neenah in a thick fog this afternoon off Fort Bragg, on the northern California coast, and its port bow was stove in above the water line. The lumber vessel was not damaged. Nobody was hurt.

The Beaver proceeded on its trip and docked here tonight only a few minutes behind schedule. Officials of the steamship company reported that the damage was insignificant.

SAVED BY MOTHER'S PLEA

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The pleadings of a mother saved North Shore, a young man and woman, from a jail sentence today on a charge of battery. North Shore was convicted of beating a collector, and Police Judge Sherrill had promised him a jail sentence. Today, however, the court put the case on the reserve calendar for six months.

The complaining witness said he had been moved by the plea of the defendant's mother to urge the court to leniency.

ACTOR ACQUITTED OF VIOLATING MANN LAW

BALTIMORE, Oct. 30.—Graver C. Rosenthal, an actor of New York, charged with violation of the Mann white slave act, was acquitted today in the federal district court.

Rosenthal, whose wife and child were in court, was charged with luring Margaret Holld from Philadelphia to this city for immoral purposes. He said this young woman and he were on the stage together.

SMALL FORTUNE AT STAKE IN COURT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Whether the state or the heirs of a wife whose death preceded his shall inherit the \$20,000 estate of William Bradley, who was said to have been reared in a foundling asylum in New York, was a question which came up in the superior court here today. Bradley died without leaving a will and without known heirs.

TWO DYING, THREE HURT IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH IN ST. JOE

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 30.—Orville Riley and Ernest Bellis, both of Clarkdale, Mo., are dying and three others, Ernest Collins, J. T. Boyer and Gladie Furick, all of Clarkdale, are injured as the result of an automobile accident tonight when the car in which they were riding crashed into the rear end of a physician's carriage in St. Joseph.

IS FOUND GUILTY.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Milla Franklin Riser, who shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Milla Riser, and killed his son, Harry Sharpley, who was alleged to have been illicitly intimate with Mrs. Riser, was found guilty of second degree murder today by a jury in the criminal court.

IMPORTER ARRESTED
SEATTLE, Oct. 30.—J. K. Ramer, an importer of oriental rugs, was arrested tonight on a federal warrant, charging him with understanding involved on imports from India and defrauding the government out of duties amounting to \$29,000.

FRIEND HUSBAND.

"OH BOB! WHY DON'T YOU GET YOUR CLOTHES MORE UP-TO-DATE—THOSE ARE SO BAGGY."

IT SAYS IN THE PAPER THAT MEN'S CLOTHES ARE TO BE WORN TIGHT—I WANT YOU TO LOOK NEAT AND WELL GROOMED!

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The Worlds MYSTERIES

One of the most unique and most successful cases of impersonation in the annals of European crime was that of Arnold du Tilh, who is generally referred to as the "False Martin Guerre." It is the story of a stranger, relying upon his extraordinary resemblance to an absent man, the fact of which had come to his knowledge by mere chance, dressing a whole family for years. Brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts, cousins and friends throughout a wide district, all had recognized and readily adopted him as the missing man, Martin Guerre. He imposed to completely on the wife of Martin Guerre, who accepted him as her veritable husband. All this grew out of a meeting with certain comrades of Guerre in the north of France, who, deceived by the

strange likeness, had at once taken him for the other man. Du Tilh then and there conceived the idea of impersonation and prepared for it by obtaining all the information he could from these friends of the Guerre family. He seems also to have sought out his double and talked much with him on the same topics, thus gaining an intimate knowledge of many details that greatly assisted him in his imposture, as did also the early adventures of Martin Guerre himself.

This Guerre had been born in the town of Artigues, Biscay, and in 1565, when no more than eleven, he had been married to Bertrande de Rols, of an equally tender age. This childish couple were possessed of some means, and lived together happily for many years, and at length a son was born to them, christened Saint Guerre. About this time Martin was guilty of stealing and absconded. He wandered to and fro for eight or nine years, during which no news was heard of him, but he reappeared suddenly in the guise of Arnold du Tilh. The impostor told a plausible story. He had taken service with the king, and had been engaged almost continuously in the wars of Flanders, and at the peace had entered the army of the King of Spain. But now he became homesick—he longed to see his wife and child, to be among his relatives and friends, and so he had returned to Artigues.

The family accepted him at once because there was a remarkable resemblance between himself and Guerre. He had deeply informed himself on all points of the family history. He promptly recognized his different relatives. He reminded his wife of so many secrets known to them two alone that all doubt was silenced, and du Tilh was put at once and firmly into Martin Guerre's shoes. He calmly passed

into the life of the house, assumed the airs and functions of the master, collected rents, gave receipts, and took over all the business obligations of the real Martin Guerre.

This lasted for upwards of three years, during which the veritable Martin Guerre made no sign. We have no exact information of how the first suspicion of imposture arose. But in the long run proceeding that followed it was told by certain witnesses how a soldier coming from the army of Flanders had passed through Artigues and openly declared that du Tilh was not Martin Guerre. He had seen Martin, had served with him recently, and knew that he had lost a leg in the battle of St. Quentin.

The first to throw suspicion upon the impostor was an uncle, Peter Guerre, and finally he was over the whole family, including the wife who had him arrested. In some records she had quarreled with him, or was tired of him, and was glad of an opportunity to break the connection into which she had been betrayed.

du Tilh was put on his trial, but stood firm on his pretended rights. He made out that Peter Guerre was impostor. (Continued on Page 5)

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BIG FOUR MAY USE TRACKS OF S. P. TO FRESNO

Frank Avery, Promoter, Says He Hopes to Conclude Deal Soon

Sanger Branch Considered Most Feasible Route to This City

The Big Four Electric Railroad company hopes to conclude a deal with the Southern Pacific whereby the tracks of that railroad can be used for Big Four trains into Fresno and Bakersfield, according to a statement by Frank Avery, promoter of the road. "Just at present we are considering the advisability and feasibility of building a line south to Bakersfield and north to Fresno," said Avery in Visalia. "The demand for frequent passenger service between Tulare county points and Bakersfield and Fresno is very great and we hope to make an important announcement along that line within a few weeks. Whether or not we will be able to use the Southern Pacific right of way to Bakersfield and Fresno remains to be seen, but we hope to conclude a

POLICE TO GUARD PROPERTY TONIGHT

The regular police force assisted by deputies from the sheriff's office and special officers will start out early tonight and be on duty until early in the morning to protect property from Halloween celebrators. Chief Coyle says that he will have no sympathy for anyone caught destroying property and they will be thrown into jail and properly punished.

deal with the railroad, whereby we can use their tracks for this purpose."

Nothing is known locally of any deal that may be under way between the Southern Pacific and the Big Four, but that the use of Southern Pacific tracks by the Big Four might be possible, is the belief of local railroad people.

If the Big Four should come into Fresno it would possibly come in over the Sanger branch of the Southern Pacific, as this is regarded the most feasible route. It would also probably mean that the Sanger branch would be electrified. It is known that the Southern Pacific itself has had under consideration a plan to electrify this line and a number of estimates have been made on the work. For the present, however, it is stated that the matter has been tabled, and will probably not again be considered until money matters are in better condition. The Southern Pacific officials have considered the cost of making the change too high, although this branch is regarded as one of the best paying branches in the valley. The Southern Pacific has considered making the Fresno-Bakersfield line, as far south as

JURY FINDS EWING NOT GUILTY OF SPEEDING

Trial of Attorney Watched With Interest By Big Crowd of Spectators

Police Unable to Prove Case Against Defendant By Stopwatch Evidence

After a trial that lasted two and a half hours yesterday afternoon, Attorney D. S. Ewing was acquitted by a jury in Police Judge Briggs' court on a charge of speeding. The verdict was brought in after a half hour's deliberation, and was not altogether unexpected after the testimony of the various witnesses was given. Deputy District Attorney Duvell, reinforced by Deputy District Attorney E. J. Ewing, conducted the prosecution, while Attorneys McKee and Short and U. L. Everts defended Ewing.

The case was tried on its merits, and when called down became the words of the arresting officer against the testimony of Ewing and Ed Vogelzang, who were with him at the time of the arrest. The attorney when the arrest was made, Ewing and Vogelzang testified that the automobile was traveling fifteen miles an hour, as they were watching the speedometer for several blocks before the arrest. Patrolmen McKee and Short, the officers who timed the auto for 302 feet, testified that the distance was traveled in 9 seconds, making the fraction of the block at the rate of 22.8 miles per hour. Evidence was introduced to show that Ewing's speedometer was working perfectly, while the stop-watches in the hands of the officer sometimes varied as much as a second or a fraction more.

Ewing was on hand yesterday afternoon some time before the appointed hour and the court room was crowded with attorneys, automobile men and curious people. At 2 o'clock the attorneys had not put in their appearance. Ewing thought he had been "jobbed," and immediately started a telephone hunt for his law partner, Frank Short. After the attorneys had arrived, the jury was impaneled and the case started. Three twelve men called were accepted by both sides.

Patrolman Charles McKee, who stood at P and Tulare streets, was the first witness called. He testified that he noticed Ewing's car traveling down toward the Santa Fe and that when the car passed him he started his stop-watch and gave the signal to Patrolman Merritt at the corner of O and Tulare. McKee said that when he received the signal from Merritt he stopped the stop-watch and the time registered was 9 seconds. When cross-examined, McKee testified that he was standing at O and P streets and he was sure he was standing at the intersection of the two streets as he was of Ewing make the 302 feet in 9 seconds.

Patrolman Merritt testified that on the day Ewing was arrested he was the first time he had used stop-watches. He testified that he stood near O and Tulare streets and when he received the signal from McKee he started the stop-watch and when the car passed him he stopped the watch and simultaneously signaled to McKee. He said that the time registered on his watch was 9 seconds. Merritt testified to giving the signal to Desk Sergeant Truxa a half block near the Santa Fe to arrest the autoist.

Desk Sergeant Truxa testified to receiving the signal and of making the arrest. It was during his testimony the fact was brought out that the police stepped off what they thought was 312 feet and made their arrests accordingly. Under this figuring Ewing would have been traveling 24.1 miles per hour. When the distance was measured with a tape-line it was found to be only 302 feet.

Ewing was the first witness called for the defense. He testified that on the afternoon of the arrest he was taking Ed Vogelzang and his family to the district fair. He told of driving down J to Tulare and turning to his left toward the Santa Fe depot. Ewing said that near the post office Vogelzang noticed his speedometer and they both watched it work. Ewing testified that Vogelzang had only seen one speedometer the same as his and was considerably interested. The witness told that they had been stopped after from the post office until they were arrested, and Ewing said that he took his eyes away only once or twice in the several blocks traveled. He testified that he traveled at the same rate of speed and all the time the indicator showed only fifteen miles. Ewing told of a street car passing him besides two automobiles, between the post office and the depot. The defendant also testified to meeting A. B. Ward at Livermore a few days before his arrest and that Ward tested the speedometer on the trip to Fresno. He found the speedometer registering correct speed as they used the mile-posts along the Southern Pacific tracks as a mark, besides their watches and the clock in the automobile. Ewing testified that the mile was shown on his speedometer at the same time they passed the mile-post on the highway. Ewing also told of subsequent speed tests on the highway and Kearney avenue.

Ed Vogelzang corroborated the testimony of Ewing and told that he was watching the speedometer continually, except once or twice. He said Ewing told him that he had been "pinched," and to look at the speedometer before he stopped. Vogelzang declared that he could not realize they had been arrested for violating the speed law, as they had only traveled fifteen miles.

A. L. Ward testified that he had been in the automobile for fourteen years. He told of meeting Ewing at Livermore and coming to Fresno with him in the car. He declared that he thought something was wrong with the speedometer as it had not registered as many miles as he thought Ewing had traveled since leaving San Francisco. He told of a speed test on the state highway and of being convinced that the speedometer was perfect.

Attorney George Warlow gave testimony in regard to stop-watches and said they were not entirely reliable. He said that a difference of as much as a second might be made between two watches held in the hands of men a block apart.

Attorney Short submitted the case to the jury without argument, while the prosecution made lengthy talks and asked for conviction.

The jurors were: Louis Octay, J. D. Hickman, J. M. Carpenter, Paul Norton, J. C. Clark, D. J. Hutchinson, J. S. Jones, M. Hale, Jesse Jensen, W. A. Patton, W. R. Johnson and S. W. Nilsson.

NEGRO WILL GET HEARING FRIDAY

John McCre, the assistant of Patrolman Davis, will be given preliminary hearing next Friday afternoon before Police Judge Briggs. He was arraigned yesterday morning in the police court and returned to jail in default of \$5,000 bail. Davis will be able to be in court next Friday to testify.

MAY RUN CARS ON EXTENSION TODAY

Traction Company Expects Water Trouble In Building Subway

The Fresno Traction Company expects to run its first cars over the San Joaquin river extension, as far as the Santa Fe railroad crossing, either late today or tomorrow, according to an announcement made at last night. These first cars will not be used for passengers but will be loaded with construction material. The trolley on the double track from the end of the line at the Normal school to the Santa Fe will probably be strung this morning so as to permit the cars to operate this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

The Santa Fe is assembling material for the temporary subway to be constructed under its tracks and it is expected that work on this will begin either today or tomorrow. One of the biggest obstacles in the way of construction will be encountered here, in the shape of water. If the railroad company requires the Traction Company to have the regulation depth of 10 feet for the subway, it is asserted that it will have at least eight feet of water. This is the estimate that has been made as the result of tests that have been made at that point. It has been shown that the water level is only about 11 feet below the grade at that point. Track laying crews began work beyond the Santa Fe yesterday, jumping the crossing. The material is being hauled to a spur near there and carried to the right of way in wagons. The grading crew has easy work and is making very rapid progress, being about two miles ahead of the track layers. The pole crew is out five or six miles.

WAITRESS CAUSES ARREST OF GREEK

Alexander Karayoyakis, proprietor of a restaurant in Chinatown, appeared before City Justice Graham yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty to a charge of violating the state law by employing Lucile Hastings, a waitress, more than 48 hours a week. He was released on \$20 cash bail and hearing will be held later. The complaint was sworn to by the waitress.

Of all pains, there are but few, if any, that can compare with that of sciatica, or "sciatic rheumatism," as it is often called. It is well described as a "gnawing and burning" of the terribly nerve-racking disorders that yields readily to Osteopathic treatment. If you would like to know what Osteopathy can do for you, come and see me. There'll be no charge.

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1913 GREEN FRUIT SEASON TO END IN TWO WEEKS

Half of Emperor Crop Now Moved Out; Balance to Go By Nov. 10

Excellent Prices Received This Year for All Varieties of Grapes

Another week will see the end of Malaga grape shipping out of the San Joaquin valley and another two weeks will practically see the end of Emperor grape shipping. Although the shipment of Emperors has been in progress for only about two weeks, it is estimated that more than one half the crop has already been moved out and it is expected that the balance of the crop will be moved out not later than November 10. There will be scattering cars shipped during the greater part of November, but the bulk of the crop will be out by the 10th and practically all the packing houses expect to close down about that time.

The shipping of Malagas was practically ended when the shipping of Emperors began, but scattering cars have been sent out daily and probably not more than twenty cars remain to be shipped. These will all be moved out of the state by the end of next week.

In the local district the shipment of Tokays is almost completed so that by the middle of next month the 1913 green deciduous fruit season will be at an end.

The surplus of the season was the high mark reached by Tokays on the eastern markets. The crop was much larger than last year, but excellent returns were received by growers. Malagas from this section held up well throughout practically all of the season, except on a few early shipments, consisting of unripe grapes. There has been a heavy demand for green fruit on the eastern markets this year and this has been almost altogether responsible for the excellent prices that have been received for all varieties of grapes, especially.

When growers and shippers discovered that the Emperors had been damaged by frost, such shipments were made and as a result a large quantity of frozen Emperors reached the eastern markets. There was such a demand for the fruit, however, that prices were not possibly affected, although low returns were received for a few of the earliest cars.

The peach growers were practically the only ones who did not receive large returns and toward the close of the peach shipping season, the market went entirely to pieces. On grapes, however, the market was uniform throughout the season, and excellent prices were received whenever the fruit was of good quality. It was only the poor grapes shipped out this year that brought poor prices. The slump in peaches was due to an over supply on the markets, and also to the fact that California Emperors do not take exceptionally well in the East. Quite a large amount of Emperors are being shipped out in drums but it is said that the movement in drums will not be as heavy as it was last year. The principal firms packing in drums this year are the Pioneer Fruit

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Company, the Earl Fruit Company and Lucius Powers of Sanger. The Fresno Fruit Growers' Company and one or two other firms that need drums last year, do not expect to do so this year.

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OF FRESNO.

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UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts \$1,512,718.14
United States Bonds, at par 310,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities 180,641.39
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 71,862.30
Cash on Hand and in Banks 756,812.67

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$2,848,040.40
Surplus and Undivided Profits 300,000.00
National Bank Notes Outstanding 323,011.78
Deposits 1,077,978.62

\$2,848,040.40

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ON NOVEMBER 1ST

TEACHERS ARE ASKED TO SIGN UP FOR PENSION LAW

Blank Agreements Going
Out to Be Sent In Before
January

Optional With Old, But
Compulsory With New
Educators

Printed blanks are going out to the public school teachers of the county from Superintendent Lindsay's office for signature, to take advantage of the benefits of the so-called teachers' state pension law. The blanks are in duplicate, the original to be signed and mailed to the state superintendent before January 1, 1915, and the duplicate to the county superintendent on the same date.

The agreement to take advantage of the law is construed to be optional with every teacher now in the service, but compulsory with every teacher who hereafter becomes a teacher. The benefits according to anyone until he or she has taught fifteen years, and the teachers who sign up to have hereafter \$1 of their salary deducted monthly, the county treasurer under the law being made the agent for the collection of the public school teachers' retirement salary fund board, of which W. H. Langdon is the president and State Superintendent Edward Hyatt the secretary.

The sending out of the blank agreements is the first step to put the new pension law into effect. The law calls for establishing the public school teachers' retirement salary and the permanent fund and provides how the money for each shall be derived, the deducted dollar to go into the permanent fund.

To receive the benefits of the act the teacher must have paid into the permanent fund or partly into said fund or partly into the annuity and retirement fund \$12 a year for each year of service up to and including thirty years, though with the same effect on payment of retirement. The difference between the amount actually paid by such teacher of thirty years' service and \$360, or \$20 a month may be withheld from retirement salary until the difference withheld equals the difference between \$360 and the amount before paid in.

The retirement benefit under the act is for the teacher who has served for at least thirty school years and at least fifteen in public schools. Upon the voluntary or involuntary retirement, the annual retirement salary of \$360 is paid for life, application to be made within two years after the last month of service.

The teacher who shall have served fifteen years and has become incapacitated for service may be retired and receive during disability an annual retirement salary payable quarterly which shall be the same fraction of the maximum retirement salary of \$360 as the number of years served bears to fifteen.



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NORMAL STUDENTS ENJOY PANTOMIME

Clever Farce Part of First
Student Body Entertainment
ment At School

"And They Lived Happily Ever After," was the title of a humorous pantomime staged by Normal students yesterday afternoon in the entertainment following the initial student body meeting of the year, which brought shrieks of laughter from the audience—mostly feminine—that gathered in the Normal auditorium.

The farcical production was the principal feature of the program following the business meeting and was participated in by ten students. In the playlet was shown the author of a popular novel revising her manuscript and reading to herself passages as she glanced through. As Miss Alice Brown, as the author, read, there was enacted in pantomime the literal translation of the excerpts, a satire upon the extravagant phrases of the modern book-seller.

The parts portrayed were the following: Ronald Van Tromp, J. D. Hough; his wife, Mildred Nerbitt; his mother, Christina Ellithorpe; Percy Goodreaser, David House; the Cook, Hazel; the Light, Vera; the program, the moon, Florence Latham; the bells, Althea Hutchinson.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Dixie" by the entire school, followed by a brief business session, at the conclusion of which the meeting was turned over to the program committee. A piano duet, "Witches' Slight," by Misses Myrtle Nordstrom and Edith Peterson, opened the program, which was followed by the pantomime and the program was concluded by a selection by the Girls' Glee Club.

The student body meetings are held monthly and at each it is planned to hold a brief program.

us said teachers' time of service is of thirty years.

The act is made binding on all public school teachers who, employed at the time of the approval of the act, avail themselves of its benefits before January 1, 1914. It is also binding upon all who are elected to teach after the approval of the act and are not in service at the time of the act, as competent to sign or deliver the notification now going out.

Re-employment in the public schools ends retirement salary, but returning to service and qualifying provision is made for deductions under the new qualifications not to exceed 25 quarters.

The interest will be to note how many teachers will avail themselves of the provisions of the act in view of the thirty and fifteen years' service conditions demanded before any benefit accrues to the fund contributor. It is deemed unfortunate that the signature agreements are going out before copies of the new law are in the hands of the teachers themselves to familiarize themselves with its provisions.

SAY REPRESENTATIONS IN LAND DEAL FALSE

Court Gives Intimation That
Foreclosure Will Be
Allowed In Suit

After an all-day's trial, Judge Church took under advisement yesterday what with an intimation of a likely decision in favor of the plaintiff, the case of Miss Kate Huffman against Peter and Myrtle B. Knapp to foreclose \$7,000 mortgage and other claims. The Knapps claim in a cross complaint that in the land transaction which is the subject of litigation they acted with property valued at as much as the mortgage, but false representations were held out to them to make the exchange and that under all the facts the notes should be cancelled, as they have given plenty and sufficient other consideration.

Miss Huffman, who is the secretary of the California Raisin Exchange, claims as the assignee of the notes from H. C. Davis of Bismarck, N. D., and from him to Peter Knapp, now of Stockton. The notes were given in an exchange for the Davis land for five acres in oranges at Glendora, valued at \$5,000 with \$1,000 mortgage, the Davis land represented to have a value of \$12,000, whereas it is now declared \$5,000 is a big valuation.

On the trial yesterday the proof was that all the representations made as to the Davis land were by W. L. Chapman, the real estate man, without the knowledge of Davis, who since the exchange in April, 1912, has sold the Glendora orange grove. The Knapps said they were imposed upon as to the value of the land, the fertility of the soil, the age of the vines and trees and in the representation that the land was free from all debt and burden. The case hinges upon a point of law whether the real estate man acted as the agent of Davis in the negotiations and if not his agent whether Davis ratified his representations by confirming the exchange, the proof in the case not connecting Davis with the Knapps as to the representations which the Knapps assert were false. The Knapps have rented the premises.

RECEPTION GIVEN TO LATON MINISTER

LATON, Oct. 29.—A reception was tendered the new pastor, Rev. B. E. Damon and his family Tuesday evening, October 28, in the First M. E. church. A large company of friends gathered to extend greeting of welcome. A musical program was given by the teachers of the high school. The church was beautifully decorated. Refreshments were served by the Ladies Aid Society. The spirit of the occasion was one of enthusiasm and genuine and hearty much for the coming year.

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Special lot of 350 Men's
Suits, in fancy tweed,
worsted; up-to-date mod-
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Men's \$10.00 Overcoats;
54 inches long; good colors \$5.00

175 Men's and Young
Men's Suits, fancy cash-
mere, worsted; splendid
colors; values to \$17.50 . . . \$9.95

750 Little Boys' Suits. Most of these little suits
come with 2 pairs of pants. Also blue serges.

\$2.25, \$2.95,
\$3.45, \$3.95,
\$4.45

Men's heavy Overcoats;
everyone well tailored;
values to \$20.00. Sale
price . . . \$9.95

285 Men's Suits; every
one hand-tailored; in
gray, fancy worsted, also
blue serges; values to
\$22.50 . . . \$12.45

250 Men's Dress Suits;
Chas. Kaufman Pre-
Shrunk Garment; all col-
ors and styles; values up
to \$25.00 . . . \$14.95

Special for this sale. 975 pair Men's Pants for
work or dress; khaki, whipcords, corduroy, cassi-
mere, fancy worsted.

75c, \$1.25, \$1.45, \$1.95
\$2.95, \$3.45 And
\$3.95



Extra specials on Blankets and
Comforts; 650 pairs of Blankets
and Comforts priced so low they
are bound to go. Prices talk.

\$1.50 Comforts \$1.10
\$2.00 Comforts \$1.45
\$2.50 Comforts \$1.95
\$3.00 Comforts \$2.45
\$3.50 Comforts \$2.95
\$4.00 Comforts \$3.45
\$4.50 Comforts \$3.95
\$5.00 Large Sheet
Blankets . . . 95c
\$1.75 10x12 Gray
Blankets . . . \$2.15
\$2.50 Heavy 10x12
Blankets . . . \$1.55
\$3.00 California Wool
Blankets; gray and
white . . . \$3.45
\$3.50 Vienna
Blankets . . . \$4.25
\$4.00 Vienna
Blankets . . . \$6.45

Special Prices on Trunks & Suit Cases

\$1.75 Matting Suit Cases. Special
around . . . \$1.15
\$6.00 Leather Suit Case; straps
around . . . \$3.95
\$7.50 Large Trunks, special . . . \$4.95
\$10.00 Large Trunk; straps all
around . . . \$6.45
\$12.50 Fine Trunks; well covered;
straps all around, special . . . \$9.95

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Men's Work
Shirts, in blue
chambray, fanny
madras and white
and cream
32 1/2c

Men's Flannel
Overshirts; blue
and gray. Special
\$1.15

Men's \$1.00 Golf
Shirts; good range
of colors
45c

Boys' Overalls
and Boys' Cham-
bray Shirts. Special
25c

Men's Heavy
Ribbed Under-
wear; blue, cream,
pink, gray. Special
37 1/2c

Men's Wool Un-
derwear; all sizes.
Special
75c

Men's Gray Sweaters . . . 45c
Children's All Wool Sweaters . . . 39c
Boys' Ruff Neck Sweaters . . . \$1.15
Men's Ruff Neck Sweaters . . . \$1.95
Men's All Wool Ruff Neck Sweaters . . . \$2.95
Extra Heavy Ruff Neck Sweaters . . . \$2.95
We carry Sweaters up to . . . \$10.00

In addition to the above Sweaters we received
635 Boys' Jersey Sweaters in red, blue, gray and
brown; regular up to \$2.50, on sale . . . 75c

\$3.00 Men's fine Jersey Sweaters in red, gray
and navy. Sale price . . . \$1.95

Plus for men, boys and children,
Men's Hats, good colors, up to \$2.00, special . . . \$1.00
Men's Hats, black, browns, grays, up to \$2.00 \$1.45
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The best of all children's Hats up to 75c . . . 25c

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Work Gloves . . . 45c
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Men's Genuine Horsehide
Gauntlet Gloves . . . 95c
Men's Four-in-hand Ties 15c
Boys' Knee Pants, all
colors . . . 45c
25c Brown Hose, 3 pairs . . . 50c

Talk about your shoe sale we beat them all, we beat the record, and we give
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Men's Work and
Dress Shoes; button
and lace
\$1.95

Men's Dress and
Work Shoes, black
and tan, button and
lace
\$2.45

Boys' Gun Metal
Shoes, button and
lace
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Hundreds of other Shoes not mentioned here will be sold 25 per cent off.

This sale will only last 15 days. We don't expect to carry this sale any longer. The prices quoted above are only a drop in the bucket. When you see these sacrifices you will readily see that our prices can't be duplicated. Therefore, don't wait.

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Men's Hose in gray, black, tan;
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white and blue . . . 40c
Gray Wool Mixed Hose . . . 10c
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50c Men's Suspenders . . . 20c
President Suspenders . . . 35c
25c White Felt Hose . . . 10c

Don't fail to ask for Boys' Jersey Sweaters, in navy, red and gray.
Sold regularly at \$2.00. Sale price . . . 75c

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California Oil News

WILL USE FUEL OIL FOR COAST VESSELS

SUES OIL COMPANY IN \$20,000 FOR DAMAGES

FLAMING OIL GUSHER REFUSES TO SUBSIDE

Contract Is Made With General Petroleum for 37,000 Barrels Monthly

Father of Young Man Killed At Maricopa By Fall From Derrick In April

Onslaught With Steam Water and Dynamite Resisted By Burning Well

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Oil as the maritime fuel of the future received another boost last week with the announcement of the Pacific Coast Steamship company that it had closed contracts with the General Petroleum company for delivery of approximately 37,000 barrels of oil monthly at Los Angeles harbor. The management follows a decision made by the Pacific coast management some time back to adopt oil as fuel.

The first oil to be delivered under this contract will go into the tanks of the \$1,500,000 liner Congress on her arrival in Los Angeles harbor. The boat will take about 7,000 barrels of the fuel, though it is estimated that out 6,000 barrels will be required for the round trip between Los Angeles and Seattle. The excess fuel, however, will be carried until the normal fuel consumption of the big liner is determined. As the boat will make two round trips north a month, she will require between 12,000 and 14,000 barrels of the total to be secured from the General Petroleum company.

The Governor and the President are to take the rest, 2000 barrels apiece for the round trip twice a month, either in new oil burners, but they are to be equipped for the consumption of liquid fuel before the first of the year. The City of Topeka of the same company was changed monthly, but is on the San Francisco-Europan and secures her fuel at the former place.

MARICOPA, Oct. 29.—J. A. Chittwood, administrator of the estate of his son, Cecil Chittwood, who was killed on the 27th day of last April by falling from a derrick while at work on the Pacific Midway Oil lease, on section 32, 12-22, has filed suit in the superior court against the Pacific Midway Oil Company, asking for \$20,000 damages for the young man's death and for \$187.50 alleged to have been incurred incident to the burial of the deceased.

Attorneys Matthew S. Platz and R. H. Wilson are acting for the plaintiff and in the complaint they state that Chittwood met his death as a result of criminal negligence on the part of the company, by whom he was employed as a tool dresser, watchman and helper. Chittwood was at work in a derrick when a brace on which he was supporting himself, pulled loose and caused him to fall a distance of 80 feet to the ground, receiving injuries which caused his instant death.

J. A. Chittwood, who asks for the damages is employed near Maricopa on a lease.

TAFT, Oct. 30.—Making a concerted onslaught with steam, water and dynamite yesterday, the Kern Trading & Oil company put forth every effort available to overcome Mother Earth in the miniature volcano which she is creating in the No. 21 well on section 27, 31-22. The effort was successful in every way for a period of two minutes, when there was a roar as of all hammers let loose and the flames were on again defiantly dashing over the edge of the wall of molten lava and appearing to laugh at the feeble efforts of the fire fighters.

Preparations for the onslaught have been in progress for the last five days. The 2000-barrel tank just erected had been filled with water. To augment its power, a 3000-barrel tank and two 500-barrel tanks on adjoining properties were connected with a 12½-inch line run to the top of the crater. To the left of the tank at a high point a pump holding 500 barrels was also in readiness.

Nine boilers of the Kern Trading & Oil company, connected with three on the May 18, all three on the Caribou, made a formidable battery to furnish steam. Of these eight were of the 60-horsepower type and seven of the 45-horsepower. Seven 4-inch lines were run from these boilers to the edge of the crater.

With the water and steam arrangements completed, a section of the employees, more than 100 in number, was turned to plans for dynamiting. It has been figured out that the high lava walls of the crater formed from red hot sand thrown up in the oil, if cured in, would not ignite the flames and then the water from the top of the casing might be easily extinguished.

The preparations for dynamiting took one whole day. Six holes were hydraulically drilled into the embankment surrounding the burning well. Into these holes were inserted 1000-foot strings of pipe. The greater number of the holes were put down 30 feet. To do this drilling was a great hardship on the men, because of the intense heat. Air worked behind, galvanized or (dressed) wooden shields that the heat might in part be warded off.

Original arrangements had been made to put the shot the night previous, but because of the crews being much fatigued by their hard day's labor, the final effort was put off until 9 o'clock yesterday.

The shot was divided into six shells, weighing fifty pounds each, which was made ready in the tunnel, which had been dug to a depth of forty feet, when an engine hoisted the shells. The final effort was put off until 9 o'clock yesterday.

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MARICOPA WELL IS TO BE FINE GUSHER

Hazleton Crude Well Gives Promise of Being Best One Yet Found in Maricopa Flat; Geologist Comes to Kern

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 30.—The Hazleton Crude well, on section 17, 31-23, three miles southeast of Maricopa, is going to be the best well in the gusher district in the Maricopa flat, according to W. Kelly, superintendent of the company. Kelly said last night they had encountered the gusher sand found in the Midway fields, Corona and other wells on the flat, lying several miles southeast of the Hazleton Crude well. Kelly said they had encountered a heavy sand pressure, with a good showing of oil. They expect to bring in the well inside of 30 days. There is 300 feet of clay in the hole, and it is expected that a prodigious amount of oil will be brought in. The Hazleton Crude well was first drilled two years ago to a depth of 1620 feet, but water trouble was encountered and the heavy expense forced the company to suspend operations. The well has 60 acres in the section and expects to drill up the property if No. 1 lives up to expectations.

Reginald Stoner, a well-known geologist who was in charge of the State University excavation of the oil lake beds near Los Angeles where he unearthed the bones of many prehistoric animals, has accepted a position as resident geologist here for the Standard Oil Company.

MRS. W. W. LAKE

Tells Others How to Get Strong and Well.

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BRIEF OIL NOTES OF MIDWAY FIELDS

TAFT, Oct. 30.—Another shipment of casing is to go to the Vancouver fields in the next few days, to be used in one of the wells which is to be put down because of the boom which is on, brought about by the bringing in of a good well by the Coast Development Company. The well is reported to have proven up more than 20,000 acres of oil land. All the heavy supplies for the field are being purchased through the Taft supply houses, W. H. Vaddell of the Canadian Pacific Oil Company is in charge of the purchases. His purchases Saturday were a string of 10-inch Reading pipe and a string of 12½-inch Diamond B. X. casing. The shipment is to be made by boat from Los Angeles.

That there may be more power at hand for the operation of the tapping plant and air compressor the Vancouver Oil Company, on section 23, 32-23, has contracted with Montgomery and Mosher for the erection of a 30-foot addition to the boiler house.

W. W. Boggs, who was formerly with the F. Lacey Company but of late has been employed by the North American Oil Company, has resigned his position because of ill health. He is now preparing to start an outdoor campaign in the selling of water-well drilling machinery throughout the San Joaquin Valley.

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By C. A. Voight



STOCKTON PLAYS FRESNO TOMORROW

Locals Figure to Give Visitors Battle of Life At Recreation Park

Eighteen Stockton Rugby men arrive in Fresno tomorrow morning for a return game with the local team at Recreation Park tomorrow afternoon. Stockton defeated Fresno 5 to 3 in the first contest at Stockton last Saturday. On the home grounds the locals figure to put up a much faster game than on the Stockton field, and the chances are that they will come off with the long end of the score.

Three games have been played and these have been sufficient to point out the weak points of the team to Coach Hunt. Both the scrum and the backfield are working smoothly. A weak scrum was responsible for the defeat of the locals at Stockton, as the Stockton City high school players had developed a solid line of attack with their forward formation.

Fresno's backfield has improved wonderfully during the past week. With excellent material for the positions at the opening of the season, the veterans have developed an offensive machine to be feared. Dunn is playing a strong game at full, his punting playing the feature.

Following is the lineup: Forwards—Hastings, Watson, L. Cobb, Williams, DeJoy, E. Cobb, Hobbs, Crawford, wing forward; Dodge, half; Turner, full; five; F. Granger, second five; Thompson, center three-quarters; Malloy, right wing; Thurnberg, left wing; Wilson, full; Pederson, Henningsen, White, subs.

NEGRO BOXER STARTS SCHOOL FOR ATHLETES

Walter Robinson Will Make Speciality of Wrestling Matches

Walter Robinson, local middleweight fighter of the colored division, has opened a training school for athletes at 1022 China Alley and will teach the technique of the many art, wrestling, sprinting, jumping and other forms of athletics. Robinson states that a class of fifty has already been secured and that he will start work upon them immediately.

The negro instructor plans to install the most modern gymnasium apparatus in his gym and open it to the public. Wrestling will be a feature of the school. A number of local mat amateurs have signified their willingness to become students. Route day will be held at stated intervals, will be pulled off at stated intervals. At one time Robinson was one of the most prominent middleweight fighters in Fresno. Before this he was champion of the local game the negro was about the best little entertainer of the city.

The Catholic nine defeated the Westers in an indoor baseball game yesterday afternoon, 14 to 4. Heavy hitting and sensational fielding featured the game.

ILLINOIS COLLEGES READY FOR FOOTBALL

Teams Wind Up Heavy Work for Saturday's Contest; Chicago Favorite

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—The University of Chicago and the University of Illinois tonight wound up their heavy practice for the game here next Saturday which is expected to make or mar the chances of one or the other for the conference football championship. The end of four days of hard drilling finds Chicago the favorite, but reports from the state university credit the team with lots of confidence.

One story declares that the hopes of Illinois rests on the ability of Quarterback Pogue to rip and tear his way through a horde of opponents, and on a set of unique plays Coach Zuppke, a master tactician, is said to have taught his pupils. Pogue has scored many touchdowns in preliminary games this season. A crowd will rival in size that which saw the Purdue game—15,000 persons—is expected at the game Saturday.

SIX TEAMS TO PLAY BALL IN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY THIS WINTER

COALINGA, Oct. 30.—A bulletin was posted today in Coalinga containing the announcement that a six-team league would be organized in the near future for winter baseball. Manager Williams states that the league will be composed of teams representing Coalinga, Hanford, Tulare, Visalia, Kingsburg and Lemoore. Either Lemoore or Hanford will meet the locals here Sunday.

HARVARD TO MEET CORNELL SATURDAY

Minor Injuries Disable Eleven Members of Crimson

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 30.—Football practice in the Harvard stadium was confined today to twenty minutes easy scrimmaging the coaches giving the men a let-up on account of the large number of minor injuries. Mahan, half back, still is in the infirmary, suffering from a spider bite on his foot. Frank O'Brien, end, who has a sprain, was on the side lines.

The varsity had a dummy scrimmage with the scrubs, the latter using Princeton formations. Then the varsity was given the ball on the 5-yard line while Logan, who was taken to drop kicking, and Bickley practiced goals from the field. Bickley standing on the 35-yard line, scored five times out of seven tries.

PORTLAND MAN AS COACH. PORTLAND, Oct. 30.—In response to a summons from Coach Houghton of the Harvard football team, Hamilton Corbett, former Harvard alumnus and former football star of this city, has left for the east to assist in coaching the team for the coming game with Yale.

CORNELL OFF FOR GAME. ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 30.—The Cornell football team left tonight for Cambridge, where they will meet Harvard Saturday. Two thousand students with a brass band, burning red fire "snake" danced to the station to see the team off.

The eleven had its final scrimmage practice here this afternoon. In the line up Saturday, Barrett, regular quarter, will change places with Stuber, left half back. There is a feeling here that Cornell will make a surprising showing against the Harvard team.

OLDFIELD WILL RACE ON OIL CITY COURSE

Attempt to Lower Mile Record Will Be Made Thanksgiving Day

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 30.—Barney Oldfield will drive at Bakersfield race track on Thanksgiving day in an attempt to lower the world's mile record for an automobile on a circular dirt track, held by himself.

Oldfield will drive his 200 horsepower Christie car with which he made a mile in 46.2 seconds last April, thereby establishing a world's record, shattering the one made by Bob Burman in a Blitzen Benz at Dayton in 1912. Oldfield will make three attempts to lower his record. He declares the Bakersfield speedway is the fastest in the world. Paul Dorkum, the noted motorcycle rider, who is in charge of the race meet, announces prizes aggregating \$2,000 for automobile races here.

BONHAM FANS PRESENT RUSSELL WITH WATCH

BONHAM, Texas, Oct. 30.—The New York Giants defeated the White Sox here today, 4 to 1. Lefty Russell of Bonham, who went to the American league from the Texas-Oklahoma league, pitched for Chicago. Local admirers presented him with a gold watch before the game. Score:

STARS WIN SLOW DUCKPIN MATCH

Hansen's Hopes Out of Form; Sharp Rolls High Score of Contest

Slummen's Stars were victorious in their schedule match of duckpins with Hansen's Hopes last night, winning 1320 to 1224. The Hopes failed to hit their stride and as a result were far outstripped by their opponents.

Sharp showed a flash of form in the first game, scoring 108 pins but in the next two fell below par, getting 84 in the second game and 80 in the third. Bert Hunt took the second high score of the evening with 103 and scored the high average with 96. Although Sharp scored the highest, Slummen beat him out for the high average, ranking second with 92. Sharp scored 30 for average.

Altchell was out of the game for the first time, rolling a dummy in his third game. Averages for Hansen's men were low, Mitchell getting the high average with 82, while Stone fell under the figure by a fraction.

Following are the scores:

SLUMMEN'S STARS			
	1	2	3
Sharp	108	84	80
Hunt	79	77	83
B. Hunt	103	95	253
Altchell	84	82	84
Slummen	93	98	277
	461	486	423

HANSEN'S HOPES

	1	2	3
Hansen	81	83	244
Stone	79	87	218
Tannahill	72	74	242
Mitchell	80	80	240
Mitchell	80	76	243
	402	390	423

VENETIAN MANAGER AFTER SIX PLAYERS FOR HIS 1914 CLUB

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30.—Happy Hagan, manager of the Venice team of the Pacific Coast Baseball league, said today he was seeking a catcher, two pitchers, two infielders and one outfielder to strengthen the Venetians in next season's play. He said he expected to obtain them at the meeting of the National Association of Minor league officials at Columbus, Ohio, November 12.

He added that several major league clubs, including the New York Americans and the St. Louis Nationals, were trying to make an arrangement with him whereby their surplus players would be sent to the Venice team.

COLOR LINE CAUSES NEBRASKA TROUBLE

Without entering into a discussion of the alleged "gentlemen's agreement" eliminating the negro from conference games, the chancellor said: "I will request the board of regents at the next meeting to pass a rule that at the right of students at the University of Nebraska to participate in any athletic contest, intramural or otherwise, shall not be abridged on account of race or color. Nebraska will not remain in any athletic association where such right is denied."

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 30.—Nebraska University will withdraw from the Missouri valley conference rather than to play schools which insist upon drawing the color line. That was the substance of a statement issued by Chancellor Avery this afternoon.

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WALT M'CREIDIE SAYS LINDSAY WILL STAY WITH BEAVER CLUB

PORTLAND, Oct. 30.—Walter M'Creddie, manager of the Portland club of the Pacific coast league last night denied the report from Los Angeles that Bill Lindsay, second baseman would play with the Angels next season.

"I know nothing about the sale of Lindsay to Los Angeles," said M'Creddie. "Lindsay will not be sold or traded to any team of the Pacific Coast league."

JONES RELEASED AFTER FIVE YEARS

Northwestern League President May Buy Interest In St. Louis Browns

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Fielder Jones, manager of the Chicago Americans when they won the world's championship in 1906, is a free agent at last. Jones retired from the leadership of Comiskey's team and from active baseball for the season of 1908, but every autumn up to this fall he was included in the list of players which the South Side club reserved. In the hope, it was said, that he might return to the game.

Whether his release has anything to do with reports that he will assume the management of some club is not known. A year ago Jones had a chance to become part owner of the St. Louis American league club and take its management, but differences between President Hedges of the Browns and other American League magnates prevented the transaction. Jones is still president of the Northwestern League.

TINKER WILL LEAD CINCINNATI AGAIN

Team Will Hold Spring Training At Alexandria During 1913 Season

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 30.—Manager Joe Tinker of the Cincinnati National League Club signed a contract today to manage the team for the season of 1914. The signing followed a lengthy conference between Tinker and President Herrmann at which the policy of the club for next year was discussed.

The attaching of the name of Manager Tinker to a contract sets at rest many rumors that have been circulated to the effect that Tinker would not be retained owing to a statement given out in Philadelphia last summer in which he severely criticized Herrmann's methods of interfering with what Tinker believed were the duties of the manager.

At that time Tinker insisted that he could not build up a good team without President Herrmann's continued make trades without consulting him.

It was decided that the team would train at Alexandria, La., next spring.

WISCONSIN IN LINE FOR MINNESOTA GAME

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 30.—Wisconsin held the last scrimmage tonight before the Minnesota game on Saturday and will spend tomorrow afternoon in signal practice only.

On account of his weak ankle, Al Torrey, left half back, did no heavy work. Cummings and Stephenson played the position. Stephenson did so well, it is likely he will be one of the first called upon to fill up a backfield position if the regulars give out.

MAY MANAGE MAJOR TEAM. PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 30.—Fielder Jones, president of the Northwestern League, said he had not negotiated recently with any club with a view to purchasing an interest, but had always had that purpose in mind if released by the White Sox. He is now ready, he said, to take an interest in a major league team.

VOTE STRIKE FUNDS. ST. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio, Oct. 30.—Fifteen thousand members of the United Mine Workers of America in the eastern Ohio district have voted to continue the assessment of \$1 per month to aid the striking miners of Colorado.

CHICAGO PRESIDENT FAVORS REFORMS

San Johnson of American Says Commission Will Consider Requests

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—President C. W. Murphy of the Chicago Nationals declared today he had found considerable justice in the reforms the Ball Players' Association proposes to ask the major leagues. He said the players probably would receive better attention from the club owners if they were represented by an active ball players' association.

President Johnson of the American League, who returned from a hunting trip in northern Michigan today, said that he as well as all the other members of the National Commission, had received a copy of the players' fraternity demand some time ago, and after perusing them carefully he was of the opinion that a great many seemed reasonable. He thought that an agreement would be reached on most of them at the coming agreement.

When asked if he would recognize Mr. Fullinwider of the Players' Union, if Mr. Fullinwider cared to address the meeting, Mr. Johnson said that he was willing to listen to him. He added, however, that he would rather meet a committee of players.

Mr. Johnson intimated that it was the intention of the club owners to go farther toward benefitting the player than the demands ask. In this respect, Mr. Johnson referred to the transportation clause.

VETERAN COACH OF GIANTS IS RELEASED

Robinson Negotiating With Federal League Team Is Report

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The unconditional release by the New York National league team of Alvin Karpis, the veteran coach, was announced tonight in an official bulletin issued by President T. J. Lynch of the National League.

Robinson, it was intimated, was negotiating with Federal league officials to become manager of a team to be placed in Baltimore next season. Other releases announced by President Lynch were:

By Boston: Noble, Frader V. Smith and Briscoe Lord; by Boston to Rochester, K. E. Myers, Guy Allen; by Chicago to Terre Haute, George C. Scherm; by Cincinnati to St. Louis, George F. Suggs, under waiver rule; by New York to Chattanooga, Harry E. Aycock, and by Philadelphia to Boston, Pitcher Beck.

PETE M'KENRY TWIRLS FOR KINGSBURG SUNDAY

KINGSBURG, Oct. 30.—The fans of Kingsburg and Lemoore will have a hot article of ball served them when the Lemoore team journeys to Kingsburg Sunday to play the speed boys. A pitchers' battle is expected as both Jones and Miller are twirlers of league fame.

Manager Erling has announced that Pete McKenry, late of Fresno State league and Los Angeles Coast League will wear a Kingsburg uniform. The game will be called at 2:30.

GIRL ESCAPES FROM CONVENT; MAY BE WALKING ACROSS THE CONTINENT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 30.—Emily Thomas, 16 years of age, a great grand-daughter of former Governor Bissell, who disappeared Saturday from the Ursuline convent here, is believed to be tramping her way to Sacramento, Cal., to join her mother who is living there. Detectives have discovered that she had cut her hair short and secured boy's clothes before she left the convent. Her grandmother, Mrs. Rhoda Bissell Thomas, is unable to give any reason for the girl's disappearance, except that she might have tired of the restraints of convent life.

ONLY SIX DAYS A WEEK. CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Notices were posted today at the plant of the Illinois Steel Company in South Chicago that ten-center employees will work only six days a week. In the past, the plant has worked seven days and some nights. It is said, to keep as many as possible employed during the winter. Under this arrangement it may be possible to re-employ many men who have been laid off during the last month.

WALEY RUGBY EXPERT HERE FOR BIG CONTEST

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—W. V. Wale, secretary of the New South Wales Rugby Union, who is an international expert, arrived here today on the liner Teutli to referee the big game between Stanford and California on November 8.

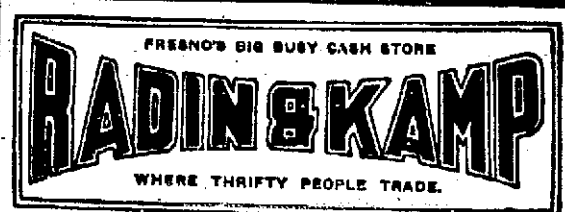
BLODGETT SHOWS WELL IN NAVY FOOTBALL

ANNAPOLIS, Oct. 30.—Using almost every variety of attack, Navy's varsity eleven today was put through the long-practice period of the season. A

BAKERSFIELD RUGGERS TRAIN FOR VISALIA

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 30.—The Bakersfield high school rugby squad has recovered from its grueling battle at Porterville a week ago and is in training for the Tulare game and the Visalia championship contest here on Thanksgiving. At present, Visalia leads in the race for the Rugby championship of the Central California Amateur Athletic League, having won one game, whereas Bakersfield and Porterville played a tie game, the score being 0-0. The locals will have a practice struggle with the local town boys' aggregation.

feature of the workout was the excellent punting of Blodgett, the big fourth classman, who was tried at half back.



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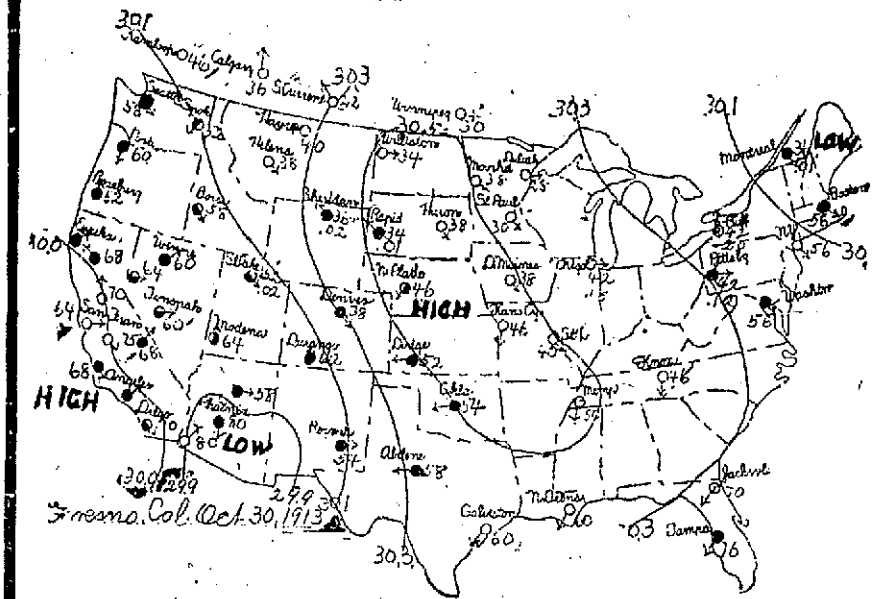
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WEATHER BUREAU

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 p. m. 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isotherms (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for 50°, 60°, and 70°. Isotherms (solid lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for 50°, 60°, and 70°. Isotherms (solid lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for 50°, 60°, and 70°. Isotherms (solid lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for 50°, 60°, and 70°.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley; cloudy and unsettled weather Friday. High south wind.

FRESNO, Oct. 30.—Local forecast: Slightly unsettled but mostly clear Friday; not much change in temperature; light northwest wind.

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

Although there has been no rain dur-

ing the last 24 hours on the Pacific slope or over the plateau weather continues unsettled with a good deal of cloudiness. The pressure is higher along the coast but in contrast with the immense area of high pressure over the interior. It is relatively low here because of the approach of a disturbance from the sea. Except for a light snow flurry in Wyoming and western South Dakota, there has been no precipitation within the country during the last 24 hours.

Slightly unsettled weather probably with more or less cloudiness will continue over Friday. The temperature will be about normal and the wind light northwest.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Exported ap-

ple, quiet and steady.

Prunes, firm; Oregon source.

Apples and peaches, more active in

jobbing way.

Habers, steady.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Butter—Fancy

creamery, 32c.

Cheese—Fancy ranch, 54c; store, 42c.

Cheese—New, 18c; 15c; young Ameri-

cas, 15-17c.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.15-1.16 1/2.

Wheat—Wholesale, 1.00-1.01 1/2; wheat

and 11, 1.00-1.01 1/2; same out, 1.00-1.01 1/2;

wild out, 1.00-1.01 1/2; straw, 65-66c;

alfalfa, 12.00-12.50.

Barley—Fancy, 95c; q. bulk, 85c;

17.5c; cents; hay, 10.00-10.50; bales,

25c; with 1,400 gallons.

Beans—Pink, 1.10-1.12 1/2.

Beans—River, dark whites, 15c;

11.5c; Salmon, 1.00-1.01 1/2; 2c;

peas, 1.00-1.01 1/2.

Vegetables—String beans, 30c;

tomatoes, 25c.

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GOOD alfalfa pasture on Shields Ave.,
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WANTED—Stock to pasture. M. L.
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ARTICLES for horses, seven miles out
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STURM for horses—70 acres of al-
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